

ST. THERESA OF THE CHILD JESUS

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Dear Parents,

Greetings from Anita Vincent!

As I begin my work here at St. Theresa's as the Director of Religious Education, I want to welcome you to a new PREP year and assure you that I am committed to this journey of bringing the children entrusted into my care closer to God.

With the COVID situation changing and evolving by the day – I am researching diocesan guidelines regarding masks, social distancing and sanitizing. This is a concern since the children under 12 are not vaccinated and the recent data shows that the Delta variant is affecting children and making them sick enough to be hospitalized. I will continue to closely monitor the guidelines coming from the CDC, the State Health Department, and the Diocese of Allentown.

Fr. Krivak and I would like to invite you to attend a monthly PREP Mass on the first Sunday of each month at 11 AM. This is a wonderful opportunity for you to share your faith with your child and build community with other PREP families, as well as the wider parish community.

Email is my preferred mode of communication, so please provide me with an email address that you use and check regularly. Please be sure to write down your email clearly in the registration form, so that we can communicate freely. Please know that I am available as a resource for you and your family anytime that you need me.

The sacramental calendar for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion will be sent to the families as soon as the schedule is set.

If you have not already registered your child(ren) for PREP (at the parish or homeschool), I ask that you do so at your earliest convenience. The forms can be found on the parish website.

I look forward to meeting you all very soon!

In the love of Christ,
Anita Vincent
Director of Religious Education